

## House Resolution No. 913

**Whereas**, Lorene Pulem, a resident of Hillview Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Platte City, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her Ninety-fifth Birthday on April 1, 2002; and

**Whereas**, on April 1, 1907, God brought a special gift to this great nation with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Lorene, who would put a twinkle in people's eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

**Whereas**, an individual who has lived during the most exciting time in history, Lorene Pulem made her debut in 1907 along with such notable people as American actress Barbara Stanwyck, American film actor John Wayne, and former United States Supreme Court Justice Lewis Franklin Powell, Jr.; and

**Whereas**, Lorene Pulem came into this world the same year that Oklahoma became the forty-sixth State of the Union and the Panic of 1907 began with the collapse of the United States Stock Market; and

**Whereas**, while celebrating her birthday, Lorene Pulem, who is an active member of the VFW Auxiliary, will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as working at the Parkville School Cafeteria, toiling as a waitress in local restaurants, and volunteering at Smithville Hospital; and

**Whereas**, during her ninety-five years of life, Lorene Pulem has had the pleasure of raising one son, George, and the privilege of spoiling four grandchildren, George Kent, James Curtis, Sharon Lee, and Robert Claude, all of whom have brought great pride and happiness into her life:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Lorene Pulem at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Lorene Pulem, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Meg Harding  
District No. 30

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Representative Maurice Lawson  
District No. 29

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 913, adopted March 20, 2002.

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Jim Kreider, Speaker